PERSONAL MENTION.

G. W. Hume is in Portland today. Mrs. Sutherland went to Portland

Ray McIntire was over from Hamand yesterday.

Frank Moore of Walla Walla is visiting Dr. Earle in this city.

Judge and Mrs. F. D. Winton arriv ed home on last night's train.

Mayor C. F. Lerter of Warrenton went up to Portland last night, Auditor F. D. Keuttner and wife re-

turned home from Portland last night.

yesterday.

W. C. Howell and W. W. Ridehalgh were passengers on the steamer El. keeps them in perfect physical conmore for Tillamook yesterday.

Capt. Eric Johnson will leave on the next trip of the Elder for a vacation. His son Charles is now quartermaster

Tillamook Lumber company.

Fred Sanderson who has been visiting here for several days went up to and dry country Portland, Mr. Sanderson is a resident valuable mining interests and after a average British horseman, but I think two weeks' stay in Portland will go he lacks the staying powers. I consid-

BRITT MAY FIGHT IN BUTTE.

Butte, April 30.-Willie Britt, brother and manager of Jimmie Britt, telegraphs that his brother will meet Portraits of Roosevelt and King At-

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And Tired, Fretted Mothers

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O'Keefe or any other man, but the porting association may select to fight

CAVALRY TOO LUXURIOUS.

Good Feed and Little Work Makes Poor Soldiers, Fays Baden-Powell.

New York, April 10,-General Badenlowell, before sailing for England on the completion of his tour in this country speaking of the United States cav-

"I rather expected to find more men of fine physique in your cavalry and was surplied to find the reverse. They enjoy too many-luxuries in their food, Charles Hellborn and Herman Prael and their system of exercise is not returned from a Portland trip last ev- thorough. Their food is too highly seasoned. They should be deprived of Col. John Adair and little son came coffee altogether and should only have up from San Francisco on the Elder an occasional portion of tea. The British cavalrymen, who, in barracks, have a sait water bath every day, which

bined with regular drill, are what have made the British cavalrymen superior to all other cavalrymea in the world. Your cavalry have not yet had a hard Captain Falling of the Perry came campaign, like the Boer war, to show down from Portland last evening and their staying powers. I am inclined will steam for Port Townsend this to think that if the chance ever comes rning to relieve the cutter Grant at there mode of life will entail a long sick list.

Mrs. F. S. Whitehouse, who has been "Your cavalry horses cannot be Ill in Portland for some weeks, went to equalled. Probably 50 per cent of the Tillamook yesterday on the Elmore, ac- herses in the British cavalry are Amercompanied by her son, F. S. White- ican bred, and they are able to wear house who is managing owner of the 5 per cent of their riders in a two weeks' journey.

'They are especially good over rough

"Your eavalry man is more active. of Nome, Alasks, where he controls both physically and mentally than the er your Second cavalry the most efficient in rank and file, as well as the best officered."

AMERICAN ARTISTS AT SALON.

tract Large Crowds:

Paris, April 30 .- A preliminary view of the pictures of the national salon the American president is hung one of the sensational pictures of the ex-This is Ferrier's representation of Christ after the crucifixion. It shows his emaciated body and gaping wounds. Mary horror-stricken, is

standing by his side. Another sensational pictures is Be catastrophe at Martinique. It shows building up an orderly civilization. town of St. Pierre, and the ships in able virtues in a people; but the peothe harbor, with a mythical figure hovering above and hurling down the an-

A portrait of Mr. Kruger, in which dition the governmental capacity which his Bible, divides attention with the cognize their duties to one another and Roosevelt portrait.

UNION MAN DRIVES PRESIDENT

Change of Plans.

er would appear in the procession fol- Mississippi to the Rockies the material lowing a non-union driver and the committee changed its plans.

FOUR POWDER EXPLOSIONS.

Nine Employes Killed and Entire Plant Destroyed-All Living Are Injured. Hollidaysburg, Pa. April 30 .- The extensive plant of the Crescent Powder company at Cranistock, about 10 miles north of here, was wrecked by four explosions this morning. Of the 30 employes nine were killed outright and all the others were badly injured by being blown about the buildings in which they were employed.

St LOUIS FAIR DEDICATED

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entire equality with those in the comnonwealths whose sons once signed the Declaration of Independence. But this way of looking at the matter is purely modern, and in its origin purely American. When Washington during his presidency saw new states come into the union on a footing of complete equality with the old, every European nation which had colonies still administered them as dependencies, and every mother-country treated the colonist not as a self-governing equal but as a subject.

The process which we began has since been followed by all the great pansion and self-government, and now the world accepts it as the natural process, as the rule; but a century and a quarter ago it was not merely exceptional; it was unknown.

This, then, is the great historic significance of the movement of continental expansion in which the Louisiana achievement. It stands out in marked relief among the feats of a nation of pioneers, a nation whose people have from the beginning been picked out by a process of natural selection from among the most enterprising individuals of the nations of western Europe The acquisition of the territory is credit to the broad and far-sighted statesmanship of the great statesmen to whom it was immediately due, and above all to the aggressive and masterful character of the hardy pioneer folk to whose restless energy these statesmen gave expression and direction. whom they followed rather than led. within the limits of the purchase is an epitome of the entire history of our still lives. people. Within these limits we have gradually built up state after state until now they many times over surpass in wealth, population, and in many-sided development, the original 13 states as they were when their delegates met in the continental congress. The people of these states have shown fellow-man, and mighty in strength to was held yesterday. Today is varnish tame the rugged wilderness. They lems with the spirit shown by the men ing day. Many pictures of high order could not have thus conquered the forare exhibited and Chartan's portrait of est and the prairie ,the mountain and years gained, explored, conquered and President Roosevelt occupies a prom- the desert, had they not possessed the inent place. Opposite the portrait of great fighting virtues, the qualities which enable a people to overcome the forces of hostile men and hostile nature. On the other hand, they could not have used aright their conquest had they not in addition posessed the qualities of self-mastery and self-restraint, the power of acting in combination with their fellows, the power tenacity and fertility in resource; we

tive statesmanship and an efficient administration. The old ploneer days are gone, with their roughness and their hardship, Hitch in St. Louis Parade Prevented by their incredible toil and their wild halfsavage romance. But the need of the pioneer virtue remains the same as Kansas City, Apr. 20-President Roos ever. The peculiar frontier conditions evelt will ride through the city in a have vanished; but the manliness and union carriage driven by a member of stalwart hardihood of the frontiersmen the Hackdrivers' union. The recep- can be given even a freer scope under tion committee had planned to have the conditions surrounding the comthe president occupy a private car- plex industrialism of the present day. riage belonging to a wealthy woman In this great region acquired for our of this city, whose coachman is non- people under the presidency of Jefferunion. The officers of the union no- son, this region stretching from the tified the committee that no union driv. gulf to the Canadian border, from the



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and social progress has been so vas that alike for weal and wee its people now share the opportunities and bear the burdens common to the entire civpeoples who were capable both of ex- illized world. The problems before us are fundamentally the same east and west of the Mississippi, in the new states and in the old and exactly the same qualities are required for their successful solution.

We meet here today to commemorate great event, an event which mark an era in statesmanship no less than purchase was the most striking single in pioneering. It is fitting that we should pay our homage in words; but we must in honor make our words good by deeds. We have every right to take a just pride in the great deeds of our forefathers; but we show ourselves unworthy to be their descendants if we make what they did an excuse for our 'ving supine instead of an incentive to the effort to show our selves by our acts worthy of them. In the matter of administration of city, state and nation, in the management of our home life and the conduct of our business and social relations, we are bound to show certain high and fine qualities of character under pen-The history of the land comprised alty of seeing the whole heart of our civilization eaten out while the body

We justly pride ourselves on our marvelous material prosperity, and such prosperity must exist in order to establish a foundation upon which a higher life can be built: but unless we do in very fact build this higher life thereon, the material prosperity itesif will go for but very little. Now, in themselves mighty in war with their 1963, in the altered conditions, we must meet the changed and changing probwho in 1803 and in the subsequent settled this vast territory, then a desert, now filled with thriving and populons states.

The old days were great because the men who lived in them had mighty qualities; and we must make the new days great by showing these same qualities. We must insist upon courage and resolution, upon hardihood roud's "Anathema," symbolizing the of yielding obedience to the law and of must insist upon the strong virile virtues; and we must insist no less upor masses of vivid flame enveloping the Courage and hardihood/are indispens- the virtues of self-restraint, self-mastery, regard for the rights of others we must show our abhorrence of cruelty brutality, and corruption, in pubture. Great peoples must have in ad- He and in private life alike. 'f we come short in any of these qualities we shall the old Boer is shown bending over comes only when individuals fully re- measurably fail; and if, as I believe we shall, we develop these qualities to the whole body politic, and are able in the future to an even greater de-American artists are well represented to join together in feats of constructions are than in the past, then in the centhis republic the freest and most orderly, the most just and most mighty nation which has ever come forth from the womb of time

HUSBAND AND WIFE SENTENCED Spokane Couple Imported Women for

Immoral Purposes.

Spokane, April 30.-Leon and Lucy 'arron, 'charged with importing women for immoral purposes, pleaded guilty in the federal court today. Judge Hanford sentenced Leon to three years in prison and to pay a fine of \$1000 and costs. Lucy Carron, wife of the first prisoner, was sentenced to two and a half years and to pay a fine of \$1000 and costs.

LUMBER PROPOSALS OPENED.

No Fancy Prices Were Asked, but the Figures Are Not Low.

Seattle, April 30. -Major Bingham opened bids yesterday for 10,000,000 feet of lumber to be used by the governmen in the construction of shelter and barracks for the United States military forces operating in the Philippines. There were 10 pldders, from Seattle,

Pacoma, Portland and San Francisco Their figures for rough lumber ranged from \$11 to \$13.50 per thousand; ongues and groove lumber from \$22 to \$22.50 per thousand; celling, \$17.50 to \$22 per thousand; doors \$1.65 to \$1.75

DESERTERS WERE HUNGRY.

One Hundred and Five Sallors Leave the Independence.

Vallejo, Cal , April 30 .- There has been an epidemic of descritons from the navy on this coast for some months past, but this month's report beats the record. It is said that 105 men have failed to return to the receiving ship Independence since the last pay day, When the enlisted men are questioned for a cause, all claim it is because of a poor and scanty fare.

MESSAGE ON CUFF SAVED LIFE.

In the recent fire in one of our large cities an actor made known his presence on the roof of the burning building by writing a message on his cuff and casting it to the street. This wise act resulted in saving his life. It is also a wise act for anyone suffering from stomech, liver or kidney disorders to commence taking Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It may be the means of saving your life, too, because when these diseases are allowed to run with out attention serious results often oc cur. Commence taking the bitters to day and notice the improvement in your condition. Especially in the spring it is every beneficial. It will also cure la grippe, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness and insomnia. Avoid all substitutes

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The annual Clatsop county teachers institute will be held May 6, 7, and 8 at Astoria. The day sessions in the high school building, evening sessions at the Methodist church. All teachers of this county will be in attendance promptly. The public cordially invited to attend day and evening meetings. H. S. Lyman, School Supt

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